

Spanish

(SP)

Develop a strong command of the Spanish language as you explore the language, literature, culture and ethnic diversity of Spain and the Spanish-American world. As a student in the Spanish program, you will undertake intensive training in listening, reading, writing, and speaking, while discovering the Spanish-speaking world's social and cultural context.

Sample First Year Schedule

Your first year classes in Spanish will consist of a mixture of courses within your major, general education courses and elective courses outside your major.

Course Type	Course(s)	Credits
Major Course	AP/SP 1000 - Elementary Spanish or AP/SP 2000 - Intermediate Spanish	6.00
General Education Course	Any approved 1000 level course from the Humanities or Social Sciences	6.00 or 9.00
General Education Course	Any approved course from the Natural Sciences	6.00
Course Outside Spanish	Any course that is not a Spanish or general education course	3.00 or 6.00
Elective Course	Any course for which you meet the prerequisite requirements	3.00
	Total	30.00 (maximum)

Program Options

With Spanish, you have the option of taking another program within the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies as a Double Major or pursuing another program as a Minor. Spanish can also be taken as a minor.

Double Major Options Include:

Classics/Classical Studies
French Studies
German Studies
History
Italian Studies
Philosophy
Political Science
Sociology
+ many more!

Minor Options Include:

Classics/Classical Studies
French Studies
German Studies
History
Italian Studies
Philosophy
Political Science
Sociology
+ many more!

The York Promise

York is here to support you throughout your unique university journey. Beyond academic achievement, we strive to enrich your student experience through personal and professional development by offering:

- **Career-Focused Services**

Career advising, career fairs and networking opportunities to help sharpen your professional edge.

- **Academic Support**

Learning skills workshops, outstanding libraries, academic accommodations, transition programs and academic advising services designed to help you every step of the way.

- **Social & Leadership Development Programs**

A vibrant social scene with more than 300 clubs and organizations to enhance student life, and help you develop soft skills you can bring to the table in your future career.



Ann Juliet Saldana
Third Year Student
Spanish

"The Spanish program helped me expand my knowledge and grow as a person. Learning languages can be challenging but my professors have guided me down the right path so I can continue to have success throughout my studies."

Your Degree Pathway

A degree in Spanish requires the completion of 90 Credits for a Bachelor's Degree (three years) or 120 Credits for an Honours Degree (four years). Your courses will consist of Major, General Education, and Elective Courses.

First Year

First year will introduce you to the university environment, provide you with general education courses, and allow options for you to study courses aligned with your own interests.

- Spanish Courses: Elementary Spanish or Intermediate Spanish
- General Education Courses: Humanities, Social Sciences or Natural Sciences (for non-science students)
- Elective Courses: Your choice of courses outside of Spanish

Second Year

In your second year, you will continue your development of the fundamentals in Spanish.

- Spanish Courses: Intermediate Spanish, Intermediate Spanish for Heritage Learners, or Advanced Spanish Grammar, Approaching Hispanic Literary Texts
- General Education Courses: Humanities, Social Sciences or Natural Sciences (for non-science students)
- Elective Courses: Choose new subjects to explore or continue to develop skills from previous selections

Third Year

Your third year in Spanish will allow you to explore specific interests in the field.

- Spanish Course Options: Aspects of Spanish American Literature, Hispanic Caribbean Literature: The City, The Nation, and the Sea, Spanish Applied Linguistics, Spanish Theatre of the Golden Age
- Elective Courses: Choose new subjects to explore or continue to develop skills from previous selections

Fourth Year

In your fourth and final year, your courses in Spanish will be designed to meet your specific interests.

- Spanish Course Options: Varieties of Spanish Worldwide, History of the Spanish Language, Epics of the Indies: Iberian Exploration and Empire, Literature and Music in Spanish America, Contemporary Poetic Expressions of Spanish American Women, Gender and Genre Negotiation: Short Fiction in 20th Century Spain, Otherness in Spanish Literature & Film
- Elective Courses: These courses can include additional Spanish courses or further courses of interest at the upper level



Your Degree!